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(b) whether, in view of the admittedly poor condition of cattle in South Kanara, the Government have ever examined in the past or propose to examine in future the question of opening a breeding farm in South Kanara ?

A.—(a) Yes ; one is being stationed at the Veterinary Hospital, Mangalore.

(b) The Government do not consider it necessary to open a cattle-breeding farm in the South Kanara district.

### Corporation of Madras

*Nomination of Mr. M. R. Rajagopal Nayudu to the Corporation of Madras.*

\* 1356 Q.—Mr. C. S. GOVINDARAJA MUDALIYAR : Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) the grounds on which he nominated Mr. M. R. Rajagopal Nayudu as a Councillor of the Corporation of Madras ;

(b) whether one of the grounds of nomination is that he is a representative of a minority community ;

(c) whether it is a fact that there are already on the Council five representatives of the Nayudu community ;

(d) whether it is a fact that the Yadhava community, the Viswakarma, Nadar, Reddi, Maruthuvakula and certain other minority communities have no representatives on the Madras Corporation Council ;

(e) whether it is a fact that representations had been received by the hon. Minister in the past pressing for nominations from among representatives of the abovenamed communities ; and

(f) whether Mr. M. R. Rajagopal Nayudu was ever employed in Messrs. Addison & Co., and if so, in what capacity ; and what is his present position in life ?

A.—(a) The Government considered that his practical knowledge would be useful to the Corporation.

(b) No.

(c) Yes, including M.R. Ry. M. R. Rajagopal Nayudu.

(d) There is a Christian Nadar on the Council. There are no councillors belonging to the other communities specified.

(e) A representation was received from the Maruthuvakula Sangam, Madras. No representation was received from the other communities.

(f) The Government have no information whether he was ever employed by Messrs. Addison & Co. He is the proprietor of "The Rajagopal Motor Works."

Rao Babadur C. S. RATNASABAPATHI MUDALIYAR :—"May I know whether among the Nayudu community there are not several sub-sects such as Kammas, Balijas, etc.?"

The hon. Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN :—"I am not versed in ethnological problems."

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## Education

### *Representation of the Aided Schools Managers' Association in the Kistna District Educational Council.*

\* 1357 Q.—MR. A. KALESWARA RAO: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government have received representations from the Aided Schools Managers' Association, Kistna district, to grant them the privilege of electing some members to the District Educational Council; and

(b) whether the Government intend to give them the representation requested?

A.—(a) Yes.

(b) The question is under consideration.

### *Admission of Adi-Dravidas in Brahmapuram and Allinjakupam elementary schools.*

\* 1358 Q.—MR. V. I. MUNISWAMI PILLAI: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) whether he is aware that Adi-Dravida pupils are not admitted in the elementary schools at Brahmapuram and Allinjakupam of Gudiyattam taluk maintained by the District Board of North Arcot; and

(b) if the answer is in the affirmative, what action he proposes to take to have such public institutions open to all pupils irrespective of caste and creed?

A.—(a) & (b) The Government have no information. A report will be called for.

### *Opening of elementary schools in South Kanara and Malabar.*

\* 1359 Q.—MR. J. A. SALDANHA: With reference to my question No. 199, dated 26th August 1927, will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) the several elementary schools opened by the local boards of Malabar as also South Kanara during the last five years at their own cost or taken over by them;

(b) the distance at which each of them lies from a corresponding private recognized school; and

(c) why such a school was opened by the boards if the distance between it and the private school was within a short distance, say, a mile?

A.—(a), (b) & (c) The information received from the taluk boards in the Malabar and South Kanara districts is placed on the table.<sup>a</sup>